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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :-F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill. GOBDON & GOTCH, 121, Hol-born Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 4 Old Jewry, E.C.

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arrivals.

Dec. 21, Bouncer, H.B.M. gunboat, 230. Lloyd, Canton, Dec. 20. Dec. 22. Deutschland, N. G. ship. 750. Seemonn, Cardiff, August 3rd, 1100 tons Coal. — Order.

Departures.

Dec. 22, Glengyle, for Singapore, &c. 22, T. A. Gibb, for Singapore, &c. 22. Kedar, for Yokohama. 22, Garibaldi, for Rangoon. 22, Malvina Vidal, for Saigon

Shipping Reports.

The North German ship Deutschland, from Cardiff, reports fine weather. Crossed the Equator on 3rd Sept. in long. 29 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 3rd Oct. in lat. 40.52 S.; made St. Paul's and Amsterdam Islands, on 21st Came to Lamback passage on 11th Nov.; had light winds and calms till 13th Dec. Then had light N. E. monsoon till arrival at Hongkong on 22nd Dec. 142 days out. On 18th Nov. in lat. 2.16 S. long. 116.45 W. spoke the British barque Niel from Singapore bound to Borneo.

New Advertisements:

NOTICE. HURSDAY EVENING, 24th December, at half-past five P.M., in the Chapel of the BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE, there will be held a Liturgic Evening SERVICE, to which the friends of the institution are herewith invited. After the Service the Children will be presented with the Gifts provided for them by the local and home friends. Friday, at half-past ten A.M., Divine

Service and administration of the Lord's Supper All Americans On Saturday no Service.

E KLITZKE, Pastor. Hongkong, December 22, 1868.

NOTICE. TT is hereby respectfully announced to the Public that one Chew Ping Ming, of Sun-oo district, on the 6th Moon of the present year, took with him a sum of 2000 taels or thereabouts of silver from Hongkong to Canton, with a view to purchase merchandise. One of his neighbour village men, named Chun Hung Kai, alias Ah Yup. a bad and cruel man, when he knew Chew Ping Ming had such a large sum of money with him, he accompanied by one Yti Cheong and some vagabonds unknown, kept watching upon the said Chew Ping Ming. When he walked out with his partner "Leong," near The College (Canton) those vagabonds cried out "Arrest Robbers." So Chew Ping Ming got into prison, and was confined in a solitary room, but was moved to three different places, and extorted to make four Promissory Notes, 1000 taels of silver each, and badly treated, and the necessary Promissory Notes being so made, Chew Ping Ming was compelled by severe treatment to pay 2000 taels in cash, otherwise he would not be released from custody. So he was obliged to give up the 2000 taels of silver, which he brought to Canton to purchase merchandise. Then Chun Hung Kai gave back two Promissory Notes and detained the other two, and released Chew Ping Ming from custody. Chew Ping Ming made a petition to the Mandarin to get redress. Thereupon Chun Hung Kai and Yt Cheony were arrested, and the matter tried before the Mandarin. The case of kidnapping and extortion was clearly proved, so the said Yit Cheong's house and property were seized, and Chun Hang Kai put into custody. Now having been informed that the said Chun Hung Kai is going to make a false statement to the Foreign communities with a view to get rid of his punishment, this is to say that if any gentlemen believe his statement to be true, and take any steps to bring him clear, it is likely to set back the Tiger into the

POO CHEONG Wing Lok Street, Hongkong. Hongkong, December 22, 1868,

"CHRYSEIS" FROM CALOUTTA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovecountersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, December 22, 1868.

#1 HE Office of the Undersigned has this 4. day theen Removed to No. 22 B, cor her of STANLEY and POTTINGER STREETS. GRUN & Co. Hougkong, December 17, 1868,

New Advertisements.

EX RED'DEER & DUNKELD. TOR SALE, at moderate prices and in lots to suit purchasers:-Prime York HAMS. Prime Strasburg BACON. North Wilts CHEESE, Scotch WHISKY, "Mountain Dew." Guinness' STOUT in pints. do. in quarts.

J. F. ROSE, Wellington Street.

Hongkong, December 21, 1868.

Bass' ALE in pints,

Do. ,, in quarts.

T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co., beg to call attention to their new GOODS for the Season, received per recent arrivals.

For Christmas Tables, Mince Meat, Muscatels, Figs. Raisins, Crystallised Fruits. Currants, Plum Puddings. Rich Cakes, Dessert Biscuits. Orange, Lemon and Citron Peel. Fricassées de Grenouilles. Pork Cutlets, Truffled Sausages. Whitebait, Venison, Salmon, Truffles, Vanila, Bonbons, Prunes, Dessert Fruits, Rose Water Crackers.

Cheddar, Albert and Stilton Cheese. A Boar's Head. Krug's Champagne. Glenlivat Whiskey. Ports, Sherries, Bass. Liqueurs in great variety. Oilman's Stores of first rate quality,

For the Children. A splendid assortment of Toys. Christmas Tree Ornaments. Games and Books of Games. Hlustrated Gift Books. Rocking Horses—Dragées. A Child's Swing.

For Christmas and New Year's Gifts.

Parian Statuettes. Perfume Cases. Dressing Cases. Writing Cases. Flower Vases. Richly-bound and Illustrated Books Stereoscopes, Slides and Boxes. Fancy boxes of Bonbous. Photographic Albums. Cigar Magazines and Cases. Pipes and Cigar Tubes.

In General New Stock. Sporting Gear of all kinds. Shooting Coats and Boots.

Racing and other Saddlery an Mantelpieces, Grates, Feuders and

Overland Trunks, Railway Valises. Croquet Sets, Athletic Gear. Perfumery and Brushes. Wall-papers in large variety. Sheet Lead, Stem-plates. Electro-Plate in good selection. A large Invoice of Standard Works. Novels, Books on Athletics, &c. Fashionable Collars, Ties & Scarves Carpets, Rugs, and Curtains. Sticks and Umbrellas.

Tweeds, Coatings and Flannels. Many other seasonable GOODS. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

Auctions. PUBLIC A UCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by

Public Auction, on THURSDAY. the 24th December, 1868, at 12 o'clock

Noon on the Ground,---Those Lots of LAND, situate at Queen's Road East, known as IN LAND LOT No. 784,

2750 Square Feet. Measuring on the North, 55 feet named Vessel are requested to send in South, 55 feet; East, 50 feet; and West, their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for 50 feet. Crown Rent, \$30.30.

INLAND LOT No. 783, 2750 Square Feet :-North, 55 feet; South, 55 feet; East, 50 feet West, 50 feet. Crown Rent,

TERMS OF SALE, One-half of purchase money to be paid on the fall the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer, the expenses of which are to be paid by the purchaser. Hougkong, December 17, 1868, de24 Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 23rd December, 1868, at 12 o'clock, at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank Buildings,--

Velvet and Silk Cloaks, Opera Cloaks, Cuffs, Knitted Cross-overs, Knitted Shawls, Muffs, Hosiery, &c. 2 English Ebony Ularionets.

> 18 open face Watches. 18 hunting Watches. 30 pairs-handsome Vases.

25 Engravings. An assortment of gilt-framed Mirrors 5 doz. glass Paper-weights. 6 doz. boxes Toys, assorted. 6 doz. Meerschaum Pipes.

3 doz. Dolls. 3 doz. baskets Perfume Grapes. 5 doz. baskets, fancy-fruit Soaps. 1 doz. boxes

70 gross Lemonade Corks. 20 gross Soda Water Corks, 4 cases Gold-stone. 25 casks Allsopp's Beer. 10 bolts Canvas.

24 doz. condensed Milk.

I doz. Pocket-books.

1 doz. Albums.

A well selected Invoice of fancy Pencil Cases, Letter Clips, Photographic Paper Weights, Gilt Readers, Pocket Knives, &c., suitable for Christmas Pre-

An Invoice of Jet Necklets, Chains assorted Scarf Pins, Combs, Brooches Crosses &c., Guilt Brooches, Earrings,

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, December 21, 1868. de23

THE Undersigned has received in nounce that their structions from the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY

the 29th day of December, 1868, at Noon, on the Premises, under a power of sale contained in the deed of Mort-

The GROUND, MESSUAGES and PREMISES situate on Bonham Strand and known as Marine Lot No. 132 (being the Praya extension of Marine Lot No

The Lot contains one substantially built HOUSE For further Particulars, apply to the

Undersigned. TERMS OF SALE .- One-half of the Purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the Purchaser.

Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser from the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 19, 1868. de29

OWRA & Co. have received instruc-D tions from A. H. PRICE, Esq., H M. Naval and Victualling Storekeeper to sell by Public Auction, at the Naval Yard, Hongkong, on

TUESDAY. 29th Dec., 1868, at 11, o'clock a.m.,-The undermentioned condemned and unserviceable Naval and Victualling

STORES, viz: -About 56,000 lbs. Biscuits.

A quantity of Biscuit Dust, Flour, Chairman, -George John Helland, Esq Rum, Raisins, Slush, Candles, Staves, Headings, Iron Hoops, empty Cases and Tins, Iron Tanks, Implements, old Iron, ja3 (cast and wrought,) Leather, Glass, Bun- William Lemann, Jas. P. Duncanson, ting, Steel, India Rubber: Sacks and painted Rags, Iron Casks, Lignum Vitse, JULIUS MENKE, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, Esq. 10 % upon the whole amount for the roun Crockeryware, Sheeting, Blue Cloth Cotton Drill, Blue Serge, Blankets, Wrappers Beds, and Soap,

A Galley and a Barge.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery Hongkong, December 16, 1868. de29

EXCURSION TO SAN CHOAN AND BACK,

CONSECRATION OF THE CHAPEL ERECTED OVER THE GRAVE OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER.

THIS ceremony of-consecration will take place on a Sunday in January, to be named hereafter: Persons desirous of being present thereat, will be kind enough to Exchange business transacted. leave their names with Messrs De Souza & Con Hollywood Road It is intended to charter a steamer from

Hongkong for the occasion... By order of the Committee, J. DE SOUZA Hongkong, December 19, 1868,

Entertainments.

THE ITALIAN OPERA

COMPANY. HE above Company beg respectfully to announce that their THIRD CONCERT,

will take place on the Evening of This Evening, December 22nd, 1868,

CONCERT ROOM CLUB LUSITANO when they will have the honour of present

PRUGRAMME :-PART I. 1. - Duet-"Belisario," Donizetti, Signors Pallico and ERRANI 2.—Aria—"Favorita," Donizetti, Mdue Pocoleri.

3. - Duet-"Rigoletto," Verdi Mdme. BOUCHE and Signor PELLICO. Romance—"Macbeth," Verdi. Signor Pellico: 5.—Romance—"L'Africana?" Meyerbeer,

Mdme. BOUCHE. 6.-Trio-" Ernani," Verdi, Mdme. Bouche and Signors Errant and Pellico.

An Interval of 15 minutes. .-Romance-" Trovatore," Verdi, Signor Errani. 2.—Duet—"Favorita," Donizetti

Mdme. Pocolest and Signor Pellico. 3.—Scotch Song—" Auld Robin Grey," (By special desire), Mdme. Bouche. 4.--Cavatina--" Capuletti," Bellini,

Mdme, POCOLERI. 5.—Aria—" Beatrice," Bellini. Signor Pellico. 6.-Grand Quartette, "Rigoletto," Verdi, (Repeated by special desire), Mdmes. BOUCHE and POCOLERI and

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN, by the Company. TERMS of SALE.—Cash before delivery | Conductor..... ...Signor ZAPPA. Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9. Reserve Seats may be secured at Mesars

Signors Petlico and ERRANI.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., price \$2 each. The Company have the honour to an-FOURTH CONCERT, will take place on SATURDAY EVEN-ING, the 26th instant, of which due notice will be given.

Hongkong, December 21, 1868. de23 AMATEUR THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE.

CLUB LUSITANO.

TNDER the distinguished Patronage His Excellency the Major Genera Commanding in China and Japan. The Officers of the Garrison will perform

Wednesday

The 23rd Inst. AT THE LUSITANO THEATRE,

Miss Eily O'Connor. A New and Original Burlesque founded on the Great Sensation Drama of the COLLEEN BAWN,

And the Laughable Farce TO PARIS AND BACK FOR £5. Plan of the Theatre at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Boxes, \$12; Stalls, \$2. Doors open at 8.30; Performance to commence at 9. Hongkong, December 17, 1868. de29

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esc. W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.

E. R. Belilios, Esq.,

VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Hongkong,

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED balance

On Fixed Deposits .-For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum, 6 per cent. 1, 12 ,, 5 per cent. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED, Credits granted on approved Securities,

and every description of Banking and Drafts, granted on London, and the and St. Nazaire, France. chief Commercial places in Europe, India Attatralia, America China and Japan. WINTER PROPERTY VIOTOR KRISSER

a sally a consultate vonief Manager, aq Offices of the Corporational discount (No. 15 Queen's Boad Basts Hongkong, June 17, 1868

STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam ship day, the 24th instant, at 8 A.M. "ELLORA," Captain J. S. MUBRAY, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on TUESDAY, 29th December, at 9 A.M. CARGO will be receive on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 28th December.

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co. Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

For particulars regarding Freight an

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, of with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrectness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to not the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, December 21, 1868.



NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA

RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS HO SELECTION STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.

HOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA. O'NE of the Company's Steamers, the "IMPER TRICE" or the "TIGRE," will be despatched from this Port for the

above places, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, between the 1st and 8th January, 1869. Exact time of departure will be notified

For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office, Hougkong, CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, December 17, 1868.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. THE Steamer China, Capt. E. R. WAISAR, will be despatched for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 16th January, 1869. A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or abone same date, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamer.

Passengers ticketed through to California Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Pa nama and Aspinwall.

Return tickets issued at a reduction Connections are made at Panama wit Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with

the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company. . DAVID MAGLEAN, Esq. (Limited) and the "French Transatlanti LONDON BANKERS. - London and County Company, And, at New York, with th various lines to Europe Tickets issue for the following Steam-ship Lines Cunard, Inman, National, General Transat lantic Co., New York and Havre Steam ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made

for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Port of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cer. tral and South America to as far as Valpa raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southamplus

vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad ditional; at shipper's option. For further information apply at th Agency of the Company, Prays West,

Shipping.

FOR SINGAPORE. The Brit. Steam-ship ". SAKURA, Captain BEAZLEY, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELLI & Co.

Hongkong, December 19, 1868. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 21, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The British barque "NEPTUNE," R. I. BUESNEL, Master, of 287 tons Register, carrying capacity 6,500 piculs.

For further particulars, apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, December 19, 1868. FOR SAIGON.

The A 1 North German barque "JOHANNA MATHILDE," Captain Louss, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, December 11, 1868. FOR FOOCHOW. The A I German barque

"COSTA RICA," Capt. WUNDERLICH, will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, December 17, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT.) The British Barque. "MELRQSE," Captain KINDRED, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. German barque Capt. OUKEN, will have quick "ALBATROSS." despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 15, 1868. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British ship Capt. Lansdown, will load here

and at Whampoa, and have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO To follow the "Marie." The British ship "GOLDEN HORN." Captain RICE, will have early despatch for the above port.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, December 2, 1868.

FOR NAGASAKI. The A 1 British schooner MITCHELL, Master, having en-"CITY OF NIAGARA," gaged the larger portion of her Cargo, will meet with quick despatch. For Freight, apply to some

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, November 28, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. G. barque

Captain Krencke, will have prompt despatch for the above For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, December 2, 1868.

Nutices to Consignees.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868.

1 case Arms.

C. BERTRAND.

Principal Agelt. Hongkong, December 9, 1868. "WHITEHALL" PROM LONDON HE above named vessel having arrived in harbour, Consignees of Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature. and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be lauded and stored at Consigness' risk and expense. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, November 23, 1868.

H VE this day authorised Mr C LANGDON DAVIES to sign my name per procuration to all orders for goods supplied to the Hongkong Hotel, and I alone ain liable to pay for goods supplied upon such

I have further authorised Mr Davies to collect all debts due to me on Hotel adcount, for which his receipt will be a cuffic cient discharge.

LEE AFOONG, Hongkong, December 1, 1868,

Freight to United States payable in ad

GEO, F. BOWMAN, Agent.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mu WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pim, Mr William Nisber Olmsted and Mr H. Seymour Geary are anthorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868. NOTICE.

M.R. C. EMIL BADE has been admitted a VI Partner in our Firm here and at Shanghai from the 1st October, 1868. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE. TAROM and after this date Mr George F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS

Hongkong, August 15, 1867

NOTICE. AAR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE III is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. TATE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. Ex "Finzel." " Red Deer," &c. 11 UBBUCK'S boiled Linseed OIL, in drums and wood. Hubbuck's raw Linseed OlL, in drums

Hubbuck's bright VARNISH, in barrels. Spirits of TURPENTINE, in

Hubbuck's best white ZINC, white LEAD dry red LEAD, black, green and olue PAINTS, &c., &c. Peacock's pateut Composition, rigging LEATHER, Pump LEATHER, Deep Sea Lead LINES, hand Lead LINES, Log

LINES, signal HALYARDS. Assorted colors. BUNTING. Best English Split PEAS, in barrels, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, December 14, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex " Whitehall." " Red Deer." and other

ASS'S ALE in hogsheads and kilderkins. Do. do. in glass, quarts and pints. Guinness's Dublin STOUT in qts. and pts. Barclay & Co's. PORTER in wood. Hennessy's Pale BRANDY in buttle. Gates & Co's, superior Pale BRANDY in

Barlaresque's superior fine Champagne Duff Gordon's SHERRIES, from \$7.50 to \$13 per dozen. Light dinner, SHERRY at \$6 per dozen.

Tawny Old PORT. Full flavored fruity PORT. Swain and Boord's Ginger WINE and

Oilman's Stores of every description, from Crosse & Blackwell and J. T. Morton Compton, Brothers' HAMS, CHEESE and BACON: Oxford, Cambridge and German SAUSAGES. Paté de Fois Gras TRUFFE. Assorted Truffled Game and Meat Pates. Perigord TRUFFLES, at

BAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868.

The Halles FOR SALE . In the HE Copyright and Plant of the Shanghai Recorder, Daily Newspaper, and Supreme Court and Consular Gazette, .Weekly Newspaper, or one-half interest in

Tenders to be received on or before the 20th instant. For particulars, apply at the Office. Shanghai, 5th December, 1868. de20

nucle with FOR SALE. Ex Recent Arrivals. MERICAN Prime Mess BEEF, in barrels and half-barrels, Hamburg Prime Mess BEEF, in barrels.

Prime Danish BUTTER, in 7 lb. tins, Muller's celebrated LAGERBIER, in in versoases of 4 doz. quarts at \$8 per case. Deetjen's Bremen PALE ALE in quarts,

BULLAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868. Just Received from "Rotterdam." ATYNAUD Foking's Double ORANGE

Nanand Foking's white CURACOA. AVH.GIN in white and square bottles.Pomerangen BLUTERS. VIIII LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868,

Just Received from France and for Sale by the Undersigned, A Fresh supply of BUTTER in Bottles, in finest condition. Gruyere CHEESE,

French OffOCOLATE at 750. per 1b. * A fine assortment of French BONBONS arrand CONFECTIONERY RUITS in juice, from Teyssonneau. Do, zimin Brandy

iloga il Mottoes, &p. A large assortment of VEGETABLES for any Goods Supplied without such in ting MACCARONI and VERMICEL Order. 1.1. French MUSTARD, French Salad Oll. French white Wing VINEGAR LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Honskong, December 14, 1868,

For Sale.

NOTICE. For Sale in the Store of the Undersigned. Just landed. Ex STA. ANNA:-DEST SHERRY-Amontillado. Pedro Jimenez.

Do. superior. Muscadine Wine. Sherry, twenty years old. do, superfine. Jamaica Rum. Vinegar. Superior Manila Coffee.

The above Wines are all from Spain and in boxes of 12 bottles each. All at mode rate prices.

F. A. DE SOUZA, Gage Street, No. 24. Hongkong, December 17, 1868.

NEW CHRISTMAS GOODS JUST RECEIVED AT THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. 1) OSE Water Crackers. D. Rose Water Fountains.

Chocolate a Monier. For BREAKFAST & EATING. Fancy Boxes Chocolate and Bonbons. Jujubes of every description. New Perfumery. Perfume Irregateurs. Pears Soaps in great variety.

HERRY Tooth Paste. Magnetic Machines. Silicated Carbon Filters. Felt Chest Protectors and Cork Respirators—to be had at the VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Laville's Celebrated Gout Mixture and Pills to be had at the VICTORIA DISPENSARY

Hongkong, December 10, 1868. Ex "Whitehall," and Mail.

HOCOLATE MENIER, in Plain and

/ Handsome boxes. Bohemian Vases, fancy Toilet Sets, and great variety of New Goods, suitable for Bonbons, Motto Nuts, Cakes, Mince-

meat, fancy Dessert Fruits, Confectionery, Christy's New Shape Felt Hats, Neckties, and Scarves, in great variety; Fancy

Coatings, &c., &c. S. W. BAKER & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1868.

NOTICE.

R. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that 11. he is now publishing a Series of 40 Tiews of Hongkong, price \$25 :---10 Views from Plates. 14 by 12 4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the Dragon Procession. Hongkong, September 4, 1868.

actions.

H. B. M. Gunboats "HARDY" " DRAKE": will be COLD BY AUCTION at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on TUESDAY.

the 9th February, 1869, (unless previously disposed of by private agreement)... The Hardy is of 233 tons and 60 h. power. The Drake \dots The following are the articles to be sold with each vessel, viz:—

With the "Hardy." Hull complete. No masts or yards. 2 Anchors. 1121 Fathoms Cable.

Davits for 2 Boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet. 4 Oars and Awning. 2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete). Anti-A pair of 30 Horse Power high pressure engines by Messrs. MAUDSLAY, Sons and Tield, in fair working order. A set of 3

Awnings complete, with Iron Stan-

poilers, considerably worn but repairable. Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No.

Eccentric Ring. ... 1 Piston and Rod Propeller (brass) Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, Bilge do. do. ... 1 Guide blocks,

With the "Drake." Masta complete. Yards l Anchor. 100 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete. Davits for 3 boats: 1 Dingy, 14 feet. 2 Oars.

2 Downton's Pumpa. - All standing Sails, but square foresail. A 40 Horse Power high pressure engine by Messrs. Penn and Sons, in good work-The boilers of this vessel have been taken

Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No. Eccentric Ring (brass),.... 1 Plumber block brasses, Propeller (brass), ... Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ... Bilge do. do.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY

LIMITED A LL Orders for Goods Supplied to or A work done for the Hotel must be "Crystallized FRUIT, BONBONS with signed by the Secretary of the Company, The Company will not undertake to pay

> By order of the Board of Directors, C. LANGDON DAVIES Becretary

lesurances.

CHINA TRADER'S INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HE General Dividend of Dollars Three Hundred and Fifty (\$950) per share late arrivals, including :will be payable at the office of the Company, where Shareholders are requested to Dresses in plain and fancy Silks, Poplin- dress, apply for Warrants, on and after the 15th ettes, Reps, and new Textures, French

By order, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL 2,000,000 DOLLARS, in 2,000 Shares of 1,000 Dollars each. Consulting Committee ;—

GEORGE F. HEARD, Esq. WM. KAYE, Esq. R. ROWETT, Esq. S. D. SASSOON, Esq. F. Buxey, Esq. General Managers, -- Mossrs JARDINE

Head Office, No. 39, Queen's Road.

MATHESON & Co.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, which expires by effluxion of time in a few months, having proved highly successful undertaking, it has been determined by a large number of its shareunder the same management and with and Perfumery Goods. increased Capital.

It is proposed to register the Company under the Limited Liability Ordinance, and the amount of the Capital having been fixed at Two Millions of Dollars, it is considered that Insurers will be amply secured thereby, while at the same time each shareholder will know the extent of his individual liability. The capital proposed to be called up amounts to a large sum, and provision will be made for the creation of an ample | December, 1868, at 1 o'clock p m., provid-Reserve Fund, which will, it is expected, in a very short time accumulate to an amount practically to give the fullest secu-

rity both to Insurers and Insured, irrespective of the unpaid Capital. It is intended to anticipate the termination of the Old Company, by dissolving it from and after the 31st December next, and measures are being taken for that purpose, In anticipating a successful career for the New Company, it is only necessary to present to the public the results of the Old Company since its establishment in May

1866, as exhibited by the following figures: The total premiums collected from the 11th May 1866 to the present time, a period of only two years and five

months, amount to.....\$304,727.72 The losses which have been paid within the same period have amounted to......\$130,081,22 and include the large sum of \$85,270 lost by the Fire

at Hongkong in Nov. 1867. The amount now at the Credit of the Working Account, after paying all Expenses and Recinsurances to date.

These figures fully warrant the most sanguine expectations of success, and it is but reasonable to expect that, strengthened with larger Capital, the present undertaking cannot, fail to prove at least as successful as the former one. The Old Company, when it entered the field, had to create a business for itself, but the New one, in taking over the outstanding risks and connections of the Old Company, will at once receive a very large amount of premium, business. Moreover, there is no doubt

of a Fire Brigade. The following are the main features of | the ensuing year. the New Company:-Call of \$100 to be paid in Six Months; of the Articles of Association. all further Calls to be determined upon at General Meetings of the shareholders. Interest at 12 per cent per annum to be in the first instance allowed on the paid up Capital, such Interest to be payable half-yearly, on 30th June, and 30th December. The profits after deducting the said Interest to be applied thus :-20 per

holders as shall have contributed or in- on or before the 31st day of December fluenced business to the Company, and next, to the remainder in forming a Reserve Fund of \$250,000. . When such Reserve Fund shall have been accumulated, the payment of Interest to cease, and the profits to be applied thus :-- 20 per cent to be distributed as already mentioned amongst the shareholders who shall have contributed business to the Company, 30 per cent, to the augmentation of the Reserve Rund until it shall reach \$1,000,000, at which figure it is to be permanently maintained; and

the remaining 50 per cent. to be distributed by way of dividend amongst the shareholders generally. No shareholder to hold more than 250 The Company to be managed by General

Managers, with the assistance of a Consulting Committee. . The Funds of the Company to be deposited in Banks or in Government Securities approved of by the Committee. The Deed of Association may be inspected at the Office of the General Managers, or at the Office of Mr HENRY C. CALDWELL, the Solicitor of the Company. Hongkong, December 15, 1868.

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A FIRST DIVIDEND of Ten per cen-Guide block,

A. H. PRICE,
admitted by the Trustees, will be paid on

Naval Storekeeper,
Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

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On application to the undersigned, at the office of the Trustees, Pedder's Hill, Oreditors will be furnished with warrants signed by the Trustees which will be payable on presentation at the office of the Hono-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-

By order of the Trustees Bungkong, November 28, 1868.

SAIL-MAKING. L'AWCETT & Co., having secured the and Tailoring are under the Super- volume. The entire work affords a vast P services of an experienced Sail-Maker. are prepared to MAKE or REPAIR SAILS at very reasonable rates. Hougkong, December 10, 1868.

New Advertisements.

S. W. BAKER & Co., BEG to invite inspection of their New STUCK for the Season, received per

Ladies' Hats, Bonnets, Opera Cloaks, Robes, ready made, French Sashes, Belts, Jackets and Mantles, new shape Jupons white and scarlet Corsets, Lace Falls, Lace and other Trimmings, Ribbons, and Ribja9 bon Velvets in all colors, Hosiery, Kid Cashmere, and Bronze Boots, white Satin Boots and Kid Gloves. A large assortment of Wool and Embroidery Works, as Cushion Patterns, Smoking Caps, Masala Sets, &c.

Sangster's Umbrellas, Christy's new shape. Felt and Shell Hats, a choice lot of Neck Scarfs, Ties, Wrappers, Collars, Socks, Fancy Tweeds and Coatings, Braces, &c.

Brussels Carpets, Velvet Pile Carpets and Rugs, All Wool Damaske, Lace Curtains, Table Covers in great variety, Damask Table Cloths in all sizes, Table Napkins, D'Oyleys, Blankets, Counterpanes, Sheetings, Flannels, Wool Mats, Turkish and other Towels, &c.

Children's Trimmed Hats, Boots, Perambulators, Picture Books, Toys, &c.

Dressing Cases, and Travelling Bags fitted, for Ladies and Gentlemen, Playing holders to form a permanent Company, Cards, and a large assortment of Stationery S. W. BAKER & Co.

Hongkong, December 22, 1868. TWO DRAWING-ROOM SELF-ACTING ORGANS. HE above are very fine Instruments. and an Ornament to a Drawing-Room. 100 changes at \$5 each. They are on view on the premises, 58 and 60, Wellington street, up to the date of drawing-24th

l ing the lottery be filled up. First prize, large Organ; second, small

F. DA CUNHA & Co. Hongkong, December 7, 1868,

HONGKONG HOTEL. HAIR DRESSING SALOON.

PEN from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M.; Sundays, 8 to 12 A.M., for any Gentlemen who may feel the necessity of having any tonsorial operation performed.

Hongkong, December 8, 1868. jan8 HONGKONG HOTEL HIS HOTEL will be conducted under a new arrangement commencing on the

1st of December. The Charges for Board will remain as follow:---Board, \$45 a month. Tiffin only, \$15 a month Dinners only, \$30 a month. One Breakfast or one Tiffin, 80 cents. Dinner, \$1.25. There is an excellent assortment of wines

for sale at moderate prices. The Charges for Lodging will be very considerably reduced. Rooms are offered to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40 or \$45, a month. Occasional Visitors are charged \$4 a day

for their Rooms with or without board. There is an ample supply of Bathrooms, and Gas is laid on throughout the house. Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED. NIOTICE is hereby given that a GENE-N RAL MEETING of the SHARE. and enter on a profitable and organised HOLDERS of the Hongkong Hotel Com- again been called to the subject by the re-PANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Com- ceipt of a Hongkong publication which that the risk of Fire in Hongkong has been | pany's Hotel, Queen's Road, Hongkong, | deserves some notice and which we have greatly diminished by the Building Regula- on TUESDAY, the 29th December, 1868, tions now in force, and by the establishment at half-past Two P.M., to receive the Re- ledge of our readers. We allude to Notes port and Accounts and elect Directors for and Queries on thing and Japan, published

At the conclusion of the above Meeting 1. A first Call of \$100, to be paid upon an Extraordinary Meeting will be held to each share on allotment, and a further | consider the advisability of altering No. 33 By Order of the Board of Directors,

C. LANGDON DAVIÉS:

Hongkong, November 28, 1868. LL Persons having claims against the A Estate of the late John CLARK, deceased, Acting Assistant Surveyor General, cent, pro rata, amongst such of the share- | are requested to send in particulars of same

> F. I. HAZELAND. Supreme Court House.

Hongkong, November 20, 1868. de31 SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, QUEEN'S ROAD,

TO ESPECTFULLY solicit inspection of their New GOODS, in the following Departments.

SILKS. Econing Dresses - Velvets. - Fancy Dresses HOSIERY. · Trimmings. HABERDASHERY - Prints. MANTLES.

Jackets. .— Ladies' Outfits. BABY LINEN.

Gentlemen's Hats- Gloves. - Tweeds. Tailoring in all its Branches. PERFUMERY; &c.

lousehold Linens-Blankets. CHARLETT CARPETS. TO AD-

FURNISHING DRAPERY

intendence of experienced West End Hongkong, November 12, 1868,

forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messrs MacEwen & Co.'s will receive

prompt attention.

known in India.

Hongkong, February 17, 1868. THE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND W. P. MOORE. QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN.

> From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.) We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan " are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. terest is not conlined to China, and it wil be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better

EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

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Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi-

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2. Wyndham Street, Hongkong,

COALS.

HE Undersigned are prepared to Coal

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BELLEVUE HOUSE.

PRIVATE BOARD AND LODGING

Hollywood Road, No. 6, next to the

HOTEL D'EUROPE, lately Mrs VINTON'S.

NOTICE.

IME Undersigned having PURCHASED

BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-

kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at

low rates constantly on hand or baked in

Also Nater, Butter, Soda and Sugar

Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY

FLOUR of best Brands constantly or

hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

The above is under the Superintendence

L. P. WARD.

of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders

CAKE of all kinds baked to order,

CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Sale

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ratus and Cream TARTAR.

to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM

Hongkong, December 8, 1868.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Welsh and Australian Coals in Store.

Hongkoug, September 22, 1868.

Steamers on the most reasonable

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

CHARLES F. SEABURG.

The "China Mail" Office.

rates, from English, French, Spanish,

(From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868.) Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has much pleasure in introducing to the knowmonthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very chrious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with

apparently successful vigour. The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

(From the "London Examiner," May

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. Be Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds, considerably enhance its value. * * *

We have thus given, in outline some of the more prominent fortions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remaind r of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings; and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns. A complete and intelligible plan of the Imperial City and heighbourhood, gives us an Mexicans, accurate notion of the relative position of Gold Leaf, its divisions, streets, and places. In the introductory chapter to the notices

as uccinct history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, and limits, which will be found particularly interesting as throwing a considerable light

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H. & W. Dock, Old, 4 p. c. dis.; New, 25.

H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 24 p. c. p. interesting as throwing a considerable light

Do. do. New, 4 on a part of the world so long entirely, and Union Dock still comparatively, unknown to Europeaus. The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yo-kohama; and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, those of the Chinese ports. A copions index and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to tra-P.S.—The Dress-making, Millinery vellers, and others, is also included in the amount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the

4No. 1732.—December 22, 1868. LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. Dec. 22, Gravina, Spanish brig, 220, J. Barcelo, Manila, Dec. 11, General, REME. DIOS & Co. Dec. 22, Tay Watt, Siamese barque. 640, Meyer, Chefoo, Dec. 12, General. CHINESE.

Dec. 22, Comet, Siamese ship, 507, Schnowr, Chefoo, Dec. 12, General. CHINESE.

PASSENGERS. Per Gravina, 16 Europeaus and 10 Chi.

CLEARED Despatch, for Singapore.

Marie, for San Francisco.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS MAHLS WILL CLOSE:-For MELBOURNE & SYDNEY,-Per "JOSHUA BATES," on Wednesday next, the 23rd Instant, at 11

For SAN FRANCISCO,-Per "MARIE," on Thursday the 24th Instant, at 3 p.m.
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,— Per "KWANG TUNG," on Thursday

the 24th Instant, at 7.30 a.m. T is hereby notified for general informal tion that henceforward the Postage hargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns addressed to the United States of America in various forms, to any part of the Co- transmitted via the United Kingdom will

be as follows, viz :-

Via Southampton. Under 4 ounce, - - 12 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - - 24 Above Sounce and not exceeding 12 ounce. - - -Above 12 ounce and not excceding 16 ounces. - - 48 For every additional 4 oz., Via MARSEILLES. Under 4 ounce. - - - 16 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - - 32 Above 8 ounce and not ex-

ceeding 12 ounce, - - 48 Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounce, - - - 64 For every additional 4 oz., 16 Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office.

Hongkong, June 18, 1868. 1. It is hereby notified for general information that, the Contract between the Government of Mauritius and the Union Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance of Mails once a Month between Caylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Natal, having terminated, the correspondence for Mauritius will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each

2. No alteration has been made in the rates of l'ostage on correspondence adlressed to Mauritins.

3. As the communication with Natal and the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, the correspondence for those Colonies, unless marked to be forwarded by Private Ship. will, in future, be sent in the Mails for London at the following rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, viz :--Upon Letters sent by way

of Southampton, 46 cents each ½ oz. When sent by way of Marseilles,..... 54 ,, ,,

Newspaper via Southampton,..... 4 ,, ,, Newspapers via Marseilles, 6 ,, Book Packets via South-

ampton,.....10 ,, under 4 oz., 20 cents, above 4 oz, and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 20 cents for every additional 8 oz. Book Packets via Marscilles, 14 cents under 4 oz.; 28 cents above for and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 28 cents for every additional 8 ounces,

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, 9th September, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH.

For Melbourne & Sydney. - Per Joshua Bates, on Wednesday next, the 23rd Instant, at noon. For San Francisco. - I'er Marie, on Thursday the 24th Instant, 4 p.m. For Swatow, Amoy & Foochow. - Per Kwang Tung, on Thursday the 24th Instant, at 8 a.m.

QUOTATIONS

Honokone, 22nd December, 1868. OPIUM. - atna, New, ... \$630 Benares, New. Malwa, ... COTTON.—CALQUITA, BOMBAY, SHANGHAE, Exchange. Bank, 6 months sight, On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 221 Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 221 Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 75 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., Gold Bar, 98 touch, 23.60 a 80 English Sovereigns, of the Treaty Forts of Japan will be found Australian Sovereigns,

Temperature.

Hongkong, 22nd December, 1868.

Queen's Road.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, Do. Do. 4 F.M., Dry, . . . Self-registered Maximum, 70 Do. Min. over night, 64 Ванометев, 9 д.н., 80.229 4 P.M., 39,144

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LPPING. TO CORRESPONDENTS. thir columns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimate grounds, but me do not hold ourselves responsible for the minions of our correspondents.

All communications addressed to this paper must be accompanied by the name of the sender, not necessarily for publication, but as a quarantee of good faith.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, DEC. 22, 1868

THE YEONG HONG SCHOOL. CANTON.

We learn from Canton that the annual examination of this school took place on Saturday, the 19th instant, in the presence of a large number of visitors, some of whom were residents in Hongkong. Among the Chinese were numerous button-wearing gentlemen, several of these being the officials connected with the Toong-mun-koon or Chinese Government School at Canton. D. B. Robertson, Esquire, C.B., H.B.M.'s Consul, presided, and the proceedings, which were lengthy, comprised exercises in reading, spelling, dictation, geography, arithmetic as far as nise "any force" in the objections raised fancied the bare legal fare—viz., 16 cents ant, though unemployed, admitted he was Vulgar Fractions, oral and written translations from and into Chinese, and the distribution of prizes, the examination in Chinese being conducted by the Inment school and one or two foreign gentlemen. At the close of the proceed. ings, Mr Robertson, in the name of the visitors, complimented Mr Rubery, the manager, and Mr Doherty, the teacher, on the marked improvement since last year in the progress of the pupils manifested during the examination, and on the great success of the institution in the face of many difficulties, such as the absence of the scholars during the frefestivals occurring among the of the foreign community were due to Mr Rubery for the well-known benevolence of his motives in endeavouring to impart useful information among the sent heartily agreed.

youths, which are worth noticing. In the proceeding with the prosecution months words of its projector, it was established ago. Of course everybody must respect "for the purpose of giving the sons of re- Mr Ball's exquisite delicacy in this matspectable Chinese a fair amount of instructure. He initiated the action-the actions, tion in the English language," the school to be quite correct—but has kept the having an English teacher, who is assisted | field open for his chief to go in and win. by a Chinese educated at the Central He is too high-minded to snatch at an School, Hongkong. It has been thought opportunity for winning fame that proadvisable that the pupils should at the perly belongs to his superior officersame time become acquainted with the though he made the opportunity himself. literature of their own country, for which It is a great sacrifice that Mr Ball incurs, purpose the services of a Chinese gra- and we trust it is acceptable to the duate are employed. And this union of Attorney General. Not every substitute foreign and native instruction is generally can leave such a legacy to a principal. approved of by most who have taken any | We shall make no direct appeal to the interest in the subject of Chinese educa- Attorney. General to put an end to the ition; not on account of the latter being present state of things, as between the held to have much intrinsic value, but Crown whose officer he is, and the debecause the native who is totally igno- fendant, but it will be a pity if he perrant of his own literature is, however mits his legal escutcheon to be blurred well educated in English, at a discount by indecision. He will have time during amongst his countrymen. The peculiar | the holidays to make himself master of feature of this school, however, consists in the case which Mr Ball has so kindly the guarantee, into which the parents or preserved for him, and we trust he will guardians, of the boys educated have to not disappoint the reasonable expectation enter, that for at least twelve months which now animates the defendant, who from the date of entry no lad shall be prays for a speedy as well as a true withdrawn from the school-subject of "deliverance." course to excaptional circumstances. Readers of the interesting annual reports made by the Colonial Inspector of WE trust that the decision given by Mr Schools will recollect that he has always May in the chair hire case this morning laid much stress upon the evil caused by will not become a precedent to regulate parents withdrawing their boys when those matters in future. A journey to only half educated, or rather possessed the Peak is to be paid for, according to only of a smattering of the subjects Mr May, at the rate of 40 cents per tions:studied. The guarantee system might coolie. Now if we consult the governlessen the numerical strength of the ment scale we find that 8 cents per hour Government Schools but would certainly is the sum fixed "within the district of improve the educational status of those Victoria" which extends as high as Roinstitutions, and if carried out here would, binson Road. The journey to the peak we imagine, have favourable results. We occupies about # of an hour from the may also note that the fees paid at the Clock Tower, and Mr May gives the nav Yeong Hong School are at a much higher of five hours for each coolie hired, rate than those paid at the Hongkong | Surely this is erring a little too much in Schools. But as regards this point the favor of the Chinamen, whose monthly Inspector has already made a change in expenses for food, among a class much the direction of increasing them, and is superior to the chair coolie, scarcely come known to fully share the opinion that up to \$1 per month. It is exceedingly the Chinese value bought education much | desirable that a comprehensive tariff

nearly gratuitously. be derived by native youths from institu- drawn out for time and distance. irrestions such as the Yeong Hong School, pective of locality, a percentage being there is the broader object of increasing added for any journey above the limits of the general means of communication the city and should furthermore be between native and foreigner and creating painted on a board affixed to each chair. that "as a result of the instruction which support the practice," is being given, readier and more trustworthy means of communication between amount awarded as pay as upon that given course of a few years become available, offering the legal fare, as stated by the and that pore liberal and just views police Inspector consulted; the gentleman with regard to foreigners and foreign summoned was called a "damned lie" things will be suread among the Chinese by the coolie. He very naturally refused generally." We wish him every success any increase on the fare which he bein his efforts amongst the Chinese, and lieved correct, there being moreover no a liberal measure of that appreciation government tariff to refer to. And yet from the foreign community which does he is ordered to pay 50 cents "amends!" so much to strengthen the hands of all The case speaks for itself. If a revised engaged in undertakings; of which the turiff was a public want before, it becomes funselfish hestowal of benefit to others is yet more so when such decisions as this a prominent feature.

As had been anticipated by many who were free from the local excitement engendered by the attack on Prince Alfred when at Sydney, the Duke of Buckingham was scarcely prepared to endorse the somewhat ultra-loyalty which prompted the passing of the Treason Felony Act immediately after that occurrence. In his reply to the Earl of Belmore, he observes that "Her Majesty's Government are very sensible of the Majesty's Crown and person which have prompted the passing of this Act;" but "although limited to two years in duration, extreme in their scope, and in the severity of their penalties." he relies on the discretion and prudence of the Colonial Government to prevent any present shape, to her Majesty; and would learn with satisfaction that the Colonial Government had thought well to propose

wind up by saying that tion, are of opinion that a great public offered and refused; and defendant then four days' further imprisonment. good was achieved by the passing of the came to get a summons against the impu-Treason-Felony Act, and particularly by dent coolie who insulted him. He trusted Vitee was charged with having been found spector of the above-mentioned govern- the insertion in it of the clauses objected that the Magistrate would not suppose for to; and they respectfully but firmly decline a moment that he meant to cheat chair that he had been up on a similar charge to recommend that the clauses be either coolies; it was merely the bullying way over and over again. Defendant stated consideration, feel himself justified in sub-

So we presume the Act will eventually be approved. But who after this will endorse the American opinion that Australia is tending to Republican (!) sym-

THE Hon. the Attorney General having returned to the Colony, the Hon. H. J. Ball is practically relieved from the duties He said that the thanks he imposed upon himself in Regina v. Saint, and the responsibility of going on with the case, or of entering a nolle prosequi, or allowing the case to slide off on a demurrer, will now rest with the Hon. Cantonese; remarks with which, judging J. Pauncefote. This change of position from the feeling shewn, the visitors pre- is so far satisfactory to the defendant that it gives him hope that his present state The Yeong Hong School possesses some of suspense will soon be terminated, for features of interest as to the terms, upon it was Mr Panncefote's absence that which instruction is afforded to native formed Mr Ball's only reason for not

more than when it is imparted wholly or should be issued by the authorities, to avoid the endless complaints which are Apart from the individual benefit to made at the Magistracy. It should be N.

It is however not so much upon the form the only law on the subject,

LOCAL TO-DAY'S POLICE. Mr May on the Bench.

An European appeared in answer to two summonses at the instance of two chaircoolies-who, by the way, appeared cleanshaven for the occasion. It appears that they would get their dinner at night, and defendant, who lives at the Hotel d'Europe, is in the habit of going frequently would they do with a cabman at home? to the Peak in his own chair; and com- they must pay them at once. To incur a plainants had been engaged by him as outside chair-bearers, to carry him up the they were to get their dinner, was to starve Hill and then leave him there, he generally them. He had given his decision. If he, preferring to walk down. For this service however, at any time found that chairthe coolies said they had been offered only feelings of loyalty and devotion to Her 16 cents per man, on the day following, always open to them) to redress their grievwhich they refused. The usual allegations ances, while they used improper language were made by the coolies that they had to those they carried, they would perhaps been kicked and turned away. Defendant lose their chair-hire and any amends, as a as he deems that certain clauses are said that he always left those outside coolies to be paid by his own coolies next ed, if such was the Magistrate's purpose, morning, as he often came home late and why could not he act upon it at this time could not pay them then; and that the he was prepared to swear that the first complainants had been up often before and | coolie used the expression before noted i know and concurred in this arrangement, an insulting manner, and his coolies also Before he had a chair of his own he had heard it.—Mr. May replied that he had no abuse of such unusual powers. He ab paid \$2, \$1.50 and so forth, but never on doubt the sitting Magistrate would give stains from submitting the Act, in its any single occasion could be satisfy them. him a summons to-morrow, if defendant On the present occasion, the first coolie thought the case worth while.—Defendant came to him in the street and asked for his said he would certainly do so, and then money, and on referring him to his boy, left the Court. the coolie said "you damned lie"; he got | William Boyer, one of the unemployed modifications of those clauses. The reangry at this, and got out of his chair to seamen who trade upon the sensibilities of marks thus made appear to have somecatch him, when coolie disappeared. After sentimentalists, was charged by a hawker what astonished the members of the New this, he refused to pay the insulting chair of oranges with having attempted to run South Wales Executive Council, who in bearer, and getting hold of his license, he away without paying for 36 oranges obtaina subsequent minute are unable to recog- on its authority offered the coolies what he ed from the poor hawker's stall.-Defendeach. On this being refused, he inquired drunk and had nothing further to say .by the Duke of Buckingham, and they

altered or repealed-expressing at the same | which the coolies had got with them time a hope that his Grace the Duke of which he objected to.-Mr May suggested Buckingham and Chandes will, on fuller that defendant had no right to delay the reasonable payment of the coolies' hire; mitting the Act for her Majesty's ap- and defendant must bear in mind, as to the Casonable fare, that the labor of going to the Peak was equal to that of going to refused work over and over again, he was Pokfolum. The sum he offered the coolies was neither reasonable nor in conformity with the regulations.—Defendant submitted that he had been told 40 cents by the Insusctor, and that had been refused by the coolies.—Mr. May said it was insufficient, and he would now pay 40 with 50 cents amends for loss of time, each man. He would impose no fine, as he believed that defendant did not know sufficiently what should be paid. If he could have made out that the coolie had made use of lauguage meant to be insulting, he would have punished him severely. -Defendant then asked whether he could get a summons against the coolie for using meulting language; on Saturday at 4 P. M. he could not get one, and he failed yesterday at 2 P. M. He did not see why the case should be altogether one-sided; the coolie he would swear used those words in an insulting manner; he had given him a great deal of trouble, and he (the defendant) would not object to have a little more trouble on the other side. -Mr. May while to take out a summons; he ought to have taken out a summons at the time, and would now appear that he was doing it merely because the coolie had summoned He would not grant a summons now, and defendant could think over it : but I have seen Mr Francis (his attorney) there appeared to be nothing which could be answered by the expression "you damned lie," unless it may have meant simply matter; so he will not be here. ance. Respecting the time occupied by the coolies in carrying defendant, it would

ter of importance both to the public and to have been all right had it been in Victoria Mr Vaucher. district : but the Peak was out of Victoria, Mr Sharp: Will it be sufficient if comthe latter district extending from Shekplainant's attorney appears I tong-tsuy (west) to Soo-kum-poo (including His Worship: I have not seen any one the Happy Valley, eastward), and as high but the attorney. Mr Goodlake granted as Robinson Road. There was no special the summons upon a verbal application. mention of the Peak, it was true; but it would come under the heading of agree-Mr Francis, on being sent for, appeared. ments, from which a coolie could not (for Mr Gaskell) on Mr Marty's behalf. break:—Defendant remarked that be very He said: I must apologise to your Worship much wished the Magistrate would tell him for not having been present; but as Mr

what was the proper fare to pay.—His Gaskell's instructions were to abandon the A very suspicious "shipping report" has Worship replied that the Ordinance gave proceedings, I thought it would be the been furnished to the Sydney Herald by him power clearly to do what he had done, most convenient course not to appear, so Captain Lee of the barque Tyre. It is as to order payment of reasonable fare and amends for loss of time. These chaircoolies worked hard day by day to earn their food at the end of the day, and rose in the morning without knowing where don the proceedings. His Wo ship : Can you let me know, ought therefore to be paid at once. What

then, something of the terms of abandon ment? You see this is not an ordinary case of summons; in any case, no one has debt to such men, who did not know where a right to withdraw; but here in a rather serious case you have made use of the process of the Court, the matter has remanded on two occasions, and it is only right that I should know the cause of the abandonment. Proceedings in a case like this having been once taken. I must know why they are put a stop to. Mr Sharp: They are matters within the punishment for the same. - Defendant ask-

Bankruptey.

Mr May: If Mr Francis says so, then will be all right. But I must know something about it-something to put down here (pointing to his depositions)-some thing to guide me in definitely settling the A serious question might arise whether it were permitted to allow cases to be thus settled. All I know of it as yet simply upon the ex parte statement of Mr Francis: no sworn information has been laid; and I know nothing about it, must therefore have some definite ground, as my defence for discharging the case out

Mr Francis: I thought that, by my not appearing, the summons would have been dismissed as a matter of course.

of Inspector Grimes what was the proper As this was the third time the prisoner had lot of subpoenss here; and it is a criminal We do not think that such has been the fare; and was informed that 20 cents was been so charged, Mr May fined him \$2 or matter—a serious misdemeanour to answer case but the fact is still certain that this "The Council, upon the fullest reflect ample remuneration. This was likewise ten days' imprisonment, and 50 cents, or which you have summoned Mr Vaucher to number of Opium packages has been saved appear. There are subposnas for Mr Kres- and the insurers will therefore reap some A miserable-looking Madrasee named ser, Mr Dennys, Mr De Silva, Mr Alexan- benefit from the salvage. It is also said

more than that Mr Gaskell has instructions | those denizens of Beach Street who have

Mr Francis: But I appear at present only as representing Mr Gaskell.

Mr May: At a former hearing you stated that you were fully prepared to go on with your evidence; and only because defendant's counsel was absent, the case was post-If you now tell me that the evidence would not bear you out, and therefore you withdraw, then I can note it down. Mr Sharp: Would notice from the atornies not be sufficient?

Mr May: No, here are a number of wit

Mr Sharp: I know nothing about that, Mr May: The termination of the case will be in the newspaper reports; and it would look uncommonly like as if the Court were made the vehicle of doing something which was improper, and became a party MR VAUCHER'S SUMMONS CASE. Mr to the doing of something which was not right. A summons might be applied for to-morrow, if the complainant on second thoughts did not agree with the terms of

the arrangement. Mr Francis: Mr Marty's hands are so a hand to the same amount. The time tied that he cannot proceed. Mr May: Can't?

fixed for the case was noon; and at a Mr Francis: There are so many diffiquarter past that time, no complainant or

Mr May (to Mr Sharp): Do you expect Mr Sharp: It is impossible. Mr Francis: He finds himself in such a Mr Sharp: On behalf of Mr Vaucher, position that he can't proceed against Mr

your Worship, I appear in a postponed Mr Sharp: In regard to the fact that our summons case; which was appointed for friend the Q. C. [Pollard] was absent at noon to-day. No complainant is present Canton. I believe it has been hinted that he was absent at the races solely because— and he stated that he was not willing, nor It did really seem somewhat as if he was was he in a position, to go on with the absent solely with that view. But as a "a cheat," or as an expression of annoy. Mr May: But he ought to be here, and matter of fact he was retained for the de-I must send down for him. This is a mat- fence, and had business with the Consul at

Mr May: I saw notice taken of it in the local papers; and it was there stated that he was necessarily absent.

Mr Francis : It was so stated. Mr Sharp: It had been spoken of. it was only a joke, of course.

Mr May: I only wished to know why the case was initiated; and why withdrawn;

now I have got that, and the summons is dismissed accordingly. The parties then left the Court.

SNIDERS V. ENFIELDS.

begging and losting; and it was shown

that he slept at a Chinaman's house at 2

cents per night, and he was trying to get

employment. As, however, it was perfectly

clear that defendant had been "trying" to

get employment after his fashion for an un-

usually long time, and had been offered and

sent by Mr May to hard labor for fourteen

days as a rogue and vagabond. His Wor-

ship added that the Police had instructions

to keep a look-out after him, and take him

into custody any time he was seen in simi-

lar circumstances. - A. note from a gentle-

man in Messra Gibb. Livingston's house

informed the Bench that this loafing black

had been repeatedly supplied with food

and clothes, and as repeatedly returned in

a semi-nude state, and insinuated very rea-

sonably that prisoner was a "thorough im-

Vaucher appeared, accompanied by Mr

Sharp (his solicitor), in accordance with

the adjourned summons at the instance of

Mr Marty (administrator of Garretta's es-

tate), and to release himself from the bond

in \$2000, and Mr Wilberforce Wilson from

complainant's attorney had appeared.

Mr Francis here to-day?

HIFLE MATCH. The indefatigable Secretary of the Hong- each shot fired.

Captain Gibsone and Lieutenant J. T.

time after loading; one point allowed for | Sniders were twenty-five points ahead at unreflecting bosom no wind or current of kong Rifle Association, casting about to find. The Enfields led off at the 200 yards to considerably increase their lead at the ley huge King's Lynn, as a solitary boy something novel in the way of Rifle Competange, making an indifferent score. Eight longer distance. Mr. Woodin scored toler- loves to doze with a tame woolly dog for his titions, hit upon a trial between the newly shots were fired within the three minutes ably well, at 400 yards, but the rest were pillow and companion, rather than be at the introduced Snider-converted Enfield weat by Mr Sim, which was the greatest number, comparatively "nowhere," the anxiety to trouble of courting a capricious electoral pon, and the Enfield muzzle loader. A got off by the Enfield, Mr Woodin follow. shoot "fast" upsetting all pretensions to mistress, or trusting a more appreciative, if match was accordingly agreed upon, and ing next with seven, Messrs Holmes, Beart "aim," and the rows of "O's" became more exacting, friend. Dogs and close was shot on Saturday, at the Kowloon and Wagner with six each, and Mr Bottom- formidable—the six scoring only 82 with boroughs ask no questions, and are ever ranges. The following were the condi- ley with five. The Enfields scored, at this points for shots added. Captain Gibsone faithful found. Mr. Gladstone's nature is range, with points for shots added, 114.

The Sniders then commenced operations points added), and Lieutenaut Turner fol- is not only a part of his being, so that he Turner (both of H.M.'s 73rd Regt.) with and in the three minutes Captain Gibsone lowed with seventeen shots making the positively enjoys the noble struggle for Snider rifles, to contend against the united fired twenty-one shots, putting seventeen excellent score of 70 points, with points power, but there is in him a hunger for rescore of six members of the Association shots on the target and missing four, making added for shots, averaging a centre each cognition and a thirst for sympathy, which with the ordinary muzzle-loading Enfield; a total score, including points for shots, of shot and two points over. It is somewhat temperaments differently constituted can all to start with empty rifles, and each to 67. Lieutenant Turner followed, and fired strange, but the number of shots fired by never thoroughly comprehend. It is no fire as many rounds as he could get off in eighteen shots in the given time, all on the the Sniders and Enfields were exactly the secret that some of his most devoted adherthree minutes at 200 yards, and again at target, scoring, with points for shots added, same, viz., seventy-five. 400 yards. Regulation Targets; any posi- 72. Of course, after this trial no doubt tion; Enfield ramrods to be returned each, existed as to the result of the match, as the

the 200 yards range, and were pretty sure opinion seems able to disturb. Lord Stanthen fired nineteen shots scoring 44 (with of another kind. The love of excitement We append a full score :-

Rifle Match. Suiders versus Enfields. Regulation Targets. Any number of shots to be fired by each competitor within three minutes. Number of Shots and Points. SNIDERS. -200 yards. Gibsone, 0 3 2 2 3 0 3 3 4 4 3 3 2 2 0 2 2 3 3 0 2 2 2 3 3 0 . J. T. Turner, 400 yards. 0 4 0 3 3 3 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 3 2 0 0 2 25 19 44 3 4 3 3 4 2 3 2 3 3 3 2 4 4 4 3 Enrieds. -200 yards. 14 6 20 4.—E. Beart, 4 4 2 8 2 0 5.—C. Wagner, 2 3 0 0 0 3 15 6 21 6.—C. D. Bottomley...... 0 0 3 0 2 5.—C. Wagner, 0 2 0 3 0 5 8 10 6,-C, D. Bottomley,..... 2 3 0 2 0 0

The Volunteer Service Gazette of Oct. 10th There can be no doubt of the great supe- match above referred to had the shooting, the leader of the Liberal party. Mr Gladcontains a report of a similar match; one riority of the breechloader, however, and been at the 400 yards range, the position stone is fully conscious of this, and he is in which the Enfields beat the Saider by a we much question whether the Saider (kneeling, sitting or lying) giving so much his fees.—Examiner. [Mr. Gladetone was points, but this was at 200 yards only, would not have been victorious in the greater steadiness in taking aim.

that the summons might be dismissed en- follows :- "The Tyra cleared the passage" tirely. As your Worship has thought it of Tanawa at eleven a.m. on the 7th April. more fitting that I should appear, I can with a light air at N.N.E.; the Dountless, only say that the instructions are to aban- Captain Robinson, master, in company bound north. At sunset, calm, Tanawa Reef bearing E., distance eight miles; the Dauntless in shore about three miles. At one a. m. on the 8th the mate of the Dauntless came on board the Tyra, and said the native crew had thrown the captain overboard. Asked the niste what he was doing during the time the natives were throwing the captain overboard. He said he had a very bad head, that it pained him all day, and that he had his head in a bucket of water at the time the captain was thrown overboard. I said it was a strange time to have his head in water. The captain was thrown over at seven p. m. on the 7th. The mate asked me to give him a navigator to take them to the Island at Ebon, one of the Mulgraves. I told him there was a navigator at Tanawa, and as it was yet in sight he had better go back and get him. The Dauntless was a fore-and-aft schooner. built at the Fijis, and Captain Robinson was master and owner."

THE following paragraph is from the Penang Argus of Nov. 26:-The Chetties in the Penang bazaar are in high glee at the news just received from Calcutta, that 59 chests of Opinin supposed to have been lost by the wreck of the Reiver has been recovered and are now safe in the custom house in Rangoon. The Rangoon Times. says that they were to have been shipped His Worship: No, no; why, you have a to Calcutta from that port a month ago. that about 1.000 more chests will be saved Mr Francis: I don't see that I can say This news must be gratifying indeed to been for some weeks in ashes and sorrow. His Worship: Mr Gaskell is not the because of the going down of the Reiver.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION COURT. Before the Hon. H. J. BALL. Dec. 22, 1868.

Wong Afee v, F. A. Vandenberg, \$63,73. Judgment for plaintiff,

L. Barnes v. G. da Silveira, \$47.50.1. Plaintiff not appearing, case struck out waste W. H. Alexander (official administrator) Hember, \$24.36.—Judgment for the defendant.

Tai Fat v. Senna, \$20.42,-Judgment for plaintiff. L. Barnes v. H. F. Stewart, \$37.75 .-Judgment for \$30 was given in this case without costs.

There were thirty-five cases on the roll. but few of them were possessed of an engrossing interest.

MR. GLADSTONE. The chief of the Liberal party disdains a quiet seat in the new Parliament. He has called on his friends and followers to rally for a great struggle of principle and policy; and he sets them an example of daring and self-denial not often exhibited, in person by a political leader at his time of life. Mr. Canning prepared to take the responsibilities of party command by relinquishing his seat for Liverpool. After one sharp fight for the University, Sir Robert Peel bought Westbury for a session, and then, for the rest of his life, returned himself for Tamworth, from whose snug irres ponsibility no blandishments or flatteries could ever lure him. Lord Russell, with characteristic intrepidity, gave up a safe seat at Strond, at the general election of 1841, to contest London, which he only won by a majority of six, and only retained, on subsequent occasions, by a comparatively small preponderance of votes, but that was his way; and he never appeared to more advantage than when fairly at bay. Lord Palmerston, on the other hand, consistently with the shrewdness and commonsonsical wisdom which formed an essential feature of his character, would not forget the electoral beating he sustained in Hampshire in 1835, and never could be induced to put out to sea again from the murufiled haven of Tiverton. Mr. Disraeli has been

fortunate in being able to moor his bark it the still shallows of an inland sea, whose ents would have dissunded him from standing for Southwest Lancashire, as necessarily entailing upon him an amount of exertion which, in their solicitude on his account. they would fain have had him spared. Their counsel was, that he should consent to sit for some one of the fifty incontestable seats at his disposal, and let Southwest Lancashire bury its dead. But this suggestion had no charm for a man whose heart is in a great cause, like that which now makes the whole country thrill. The general will not be carried in a litter, or left to take his rest undisturbed, when the whole army is in motion, and the rank and file have to bivouse in the open, and the staff itself is under fire. He must be in the thick of 253 whatever difficulty or danger there is; and he will not consent to be out of the saddle while his companions in arms are riding ou. So, here we have him at Warrington one day, and at Liverpool the next, canvasting, bantering, and remonstrating, as occasion requires, and showing himself not only able and willing, but apt and eager, for the foremost work in what is called "a des. perate contest." We use the phrase with no misgiving as to what the issue in Southwest Lancashire will be, for we believe the new registrations have gone far to secure to the Liberals a predominance at the poll.

But the contest will undoubtedly be des-

perate, in that Toryism will there die hard-

his foes. - Examiner. [Mr Gladstone was

defeated, so the last telegrams inform us.]

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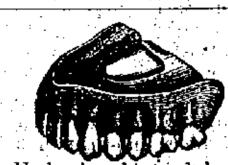
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11 On the receipt of a similar applica- Company's Office, H.kong Hotel Building, tion, orders will be given to stop payment

Post-Office Notifications.

of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed The Contract Packet "ELLORA" will Order. The additional Commission in the be dispatched with the usual Mails for last case will be deducted from the amount Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the 29th of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new Instant, at 9 A.M., and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration,

12.—But when it is desired that any Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M. | error in the name of the Remitter or Payee on the 28th Instant. Letters, &c., may should be corrected or that the amount of be posted in the night box from 8 P.M. a Money Order should be repaid to the on the 28th Instant, until 7 A.M. on the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country, This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been Marseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 8.30 ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn. of 48 cents each, in addition to the

postage, after which no Letters can be 14.—Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Mouth after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July. window set apart for the purpose, on otherwise the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Com-All correspondence for places to which premission, to be deducted from the amount payment is compulsory must be prepaid of the Order, will be charged) will become

Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to 15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 29th inthe end of the following January-all claim stant will not be forwarded unless the to the Money will be forfeited, unless, Late Fee as well as the postage is preunder peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they can-16.—After once paying a Money Order not be forwarded unpaid, will be openby whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing given that such Letters, if posted after to negligence on the part of any Officer of 8 P.M. on the 28th Instant, will be rethe Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

pondence, except in cases where the 17.—No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18. -Additional Rules for greater secuing the late fee should be placed on the rity against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require. lar will be conducted in the Coins pre-scribed by Ordinance of 1864, and 19.—Should it appear that Money Orders | Life. are used by mercantile men, or others, the Proclamation of the 22nd January,

either in the United Kingdom or at Hong-1864, and no other Corns, but those kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the therein specified will either be received transmission of large sums of money, the or given in change as fractional parts British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of in-Payment for Postage Stamps must be made creasing the Commission, and will exercise in the current Dollars of the Colony or the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Mouey Orders. Money Orders on any of the Money Order -By Command, Offices in the United Kingdom will be

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st March next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above By order of the Board of Directors,

GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary. Hongkong, December 1, 1868.

mārl FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED DOCK.

4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United King-THE above Dock has been in full working dom, shewing the Counties in which they order for the last four years. Length are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out

furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of For further particulars as to the price of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remit coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to ter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his or-T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Sildinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the Shanghai; or to the Undersigned. "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the

In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG. Vessels requiring the services of this Tu either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application der is to be paid only through a Bank, to to

JOHN C. SKEY, Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Ves-

ney Order to be affixed to the Order in the At Hongkong the Company have the Above 1 mouth and place provided for the purpose. If the only Dock in the harbour, -a Granite Payee be unable to write he must sign the Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to Above 3 months and receipt by making his mark in the presence admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.

Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery | Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. 9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order works, and everything necessary for the which the Order was issued, at some other The Company have also opened a Ship-Office than that in which the Order was ori- yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock,

At Whampon the Company have four issued, the Commission chargeable upon Docks, in which they will take Ships at Detached and Semi-detached The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" can be sugaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates.

For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

A. D. MITCHELL, Manager of Works. Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

Insurances

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY London.

Incorporated 1859. CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company are pre pared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

> ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. IVOR MURRAY, Ево., м.р.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to # AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINI INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

Hongkong, June, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL.—Two MILLIONS STERLING. HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of pronosals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigued having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ĂRNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868. 27jan-69

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE. ROM and after this date the following

Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding } + of the Annual Rate. one month... Above 1 month and not ex-

ceeding three months,..... Above 3 m'ths and not ex- (ceeding six 3 ,, mouths,

Above 6 miths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Anents, Lancashire Insurance Company, Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein. DO! GLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at ver & Co., Hongkong; Mesars Boyd & Co., the Ports of Tamsul and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR ANCE at current rates.

DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

'HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate

not exceeding 3.... 1 not exceeding 6,... 3 "GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. TINTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz :--

Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Coutents. 🗼 . 🔒 per dent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. a per cent. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. . 1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Divelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-

per cent. Other Divelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, . . . 2 per cent

per annum. Todowns, Offices, Shops, &c and their Contents. per cent GILMAN & Co.,

Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866. NOTICE.

IPROM and after this date the following

Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-Not exceeding one 12 of the annual rate. Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3

Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months. . Above 6 months. . . the full Annual rate. Agents, North British and Mercantile

Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809,

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co

Hongkong, June 21, 1864. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER

AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agenta for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANYTHE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances.

Not exceeding 1 month, & per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, } do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6...... 3 the full annual rate HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5.000.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, per cent. Three months. Six months. . . HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. TROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding } 1 of the Annual Rate.

one month. Above 1 month and not exceeding three (months, Above 3 m'thu) and not ex-

months, Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE. COMPANY. CAPITAL,-Two MILLION STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

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ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY: NOTICE.

ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:---Not exceeding) I of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding six

months. Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies vering Marine risks at the current Rates Policies can be made payable at all the NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE principal ports throughout the World.
INSURANCE COMPANY. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding I month, & of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 3

Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. HE Undersigned having beenfappointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

NOTICE. GUARDIANN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1821.

Hougkong, August 9 1867.

CAPITAL £2,000,000, HEIUndersigned baving been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hougkong and Canton are prepared grant Policies at current rates.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hougkong, July 17, 1868. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

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FIRE AND LIFE.

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For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances. and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA. SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, Or LONDON, ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY future for short period Insurances,

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Not exceeding One } per cent. Month. Above One Month and not exceeding } } per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months) and not exceeding } # per cent. Six Months.

Above Six Months, Thefull Annual Rate of 1 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Instirance Company, Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

Insurances.

LIFE ASSURANCE. HE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Life Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board, ROB. S. WALLER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hougkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE. TI'HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkoug, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

THE Undersigned have (as already inti-mated in their Circular dated 14th Octil tober last) received authority from the Seoretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EPrrors, therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed

from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. rer Annum as hitherto charged : and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent.

The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :--Detached and semi-detached. Dwelling-Houses (removed

from the Town) and their per cent. Other $Dwelling ext{-}Houses$ (similarly situated) and their Contents.

First Class China House and their Contents. 11 per cent Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

ANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent. has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September.

Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 8, 1868.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1867. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAI. THE Undersigned having been appointed L Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each No forfeiture of Policy from uninten- year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Premiums payable Half-yearly or An- Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount o premium paid by each policy-holder.

Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

RUSSELL & Co.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUI-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

FUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN J SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA.

OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURA ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the shove named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. terms. Hongkong, August 1866.

THE following Rates will be charged in NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perico Insurances:--Not exceeding one

month, lof the Annual rate. Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 menths..... 3 Above 6 months,... the full annual rate, ...

TURNER & Co., ... Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

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nese Coasts. The author in his Preface says :-- "The tables in Chap. VII., for estimating prices, measurement of goods, exchanges, &c. have been selected from those constantly in use among the foreign merchants in China. Those for calculating the prices of tea in dollars or pence have been copied from the dollars or pence have been copied from the more extended tables, by the kind permission of the author, P. Loureiro, Esq. The last section of the same chapter on 'Movements in Bullion," has been prepared and furnished for the Guide by Patrick R. Harper, Esq., of the Commercial Bank of India at Hongkong, who has had much experience in the exchanges and movements of the precious metals in Eastern Asia.

"The Appendix of Sailing Directions has been reprinted from the 'China Pilot.' With short interruptions, the coasts from Singapore to Hakodadi are all described in it, and for the Chinese coasts, the Directions in the Chinese coasts.

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Drake	British	gun-boat	3	230	in ordinary.
Flamer	British	naval hospital	<u> </u>	230	Attached to Melville
Grasshopper	British	gun-boat	3	230	In ordinary.
Hardy	British	gun-boat	3	230	In ordinary,
Himalaya	British	steamer	· <u></u>	3543	Piers
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Melville	British	naval hospital			Geo. B. Hill, D.J.G.
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